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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, dated May 9, 2003, in which the Examiner issued a restriction requirement, please consider the remarks made below in connection with the above-identified patent application. Submitted concurrently herewith is (a) a Petition for an Extension of Time for Response for three (3) months from June 9, 2003 to an including September 9, 2003, accompanied by the appropriate fee; (b) an Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; (c) an Information Disclosure Statement; (d) a List of References Cited, listing References A01, B01, and C01-C08; and (e) a copy of each of References A01, B01, and C01-C08.